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Please rewrite the paragraph at page 11, line 17 to page 12, line 1 as follows:

--As shown in FIGS. 1 and 2, a motor 1 according to a first embodiment of the present invention is configured in the following manner. Right and left brackets 5r and 5l support opposite ends of a support shaft (rotor shaft) 3 of a rotor 2 and clamp a stator 6 from opposite sides, so that the stator 6 is fixed to the right and left brackets 5r and 5l. The right and left brackets 5r and 5l support the opposing ends of the rotor shaft 3 via corresponding ball bearings 4. An electromagnetic brake unit 7 for braking rotation of the rotary shaft 3 is attached to the left bracket 5l. The rotor shaft 3 also serves as a rotating shaft of the motor 1.--

Please rewrite the paragraph at page 16, line 19 to page 17, line 1 as follows:

--Being firmly fitted to the right and left brackets 5r and 5l and the stator core 11, the binders 30 clamp the right and left brackets 5r and 5l such that the right and left brackets 5r and 5l are urged toward each other. Thus, the stator 6 is firmly clamped between the right and left brackets 5l and 5r. Flanged cylindrical coil covers 26 are seated at the bottom portions of the right and left brackets 5r and 5l (see FIG. 2) so as to cover the outer end surfaces and inner circumferential surfaces of the portions of the field coils 18 which project from the stator core 11.--